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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

**NOVEL GENES ENCODING PROTEINS HAVING PROGNOSTIC, DIAGNOSTIC,
PREVENTIVE, THERAPEUTIC, AND OTHER USES**

which is:

an [] Original; or
a [] Continuation, [] Divisional, or [X] Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior Application No. 09/479,249, filed on January 7, 2000; and a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application serial number 09/559,497, filed on April 27, 2000; and a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application 09/578,063, filed on May 24, 2000, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application 09/333,159, filed on June 14, 1999; and a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application 09/596,194, filed on July 14, 2000, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application 09/342,364, filed on June 29, 1999; and a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application 09/608,452, filed on June 30, 2000, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application 09/393,996, filed on September 10, 1999; and a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application 09/602,871, filed on June 23, 2000, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application 09/420,707, filed on October 19, 1999.

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 373 pages.
- [X] Application Data Sheet.
- [X] Non-executed Declaration.
- [X] 361 sheets of drawings (formal).
- [X] Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:
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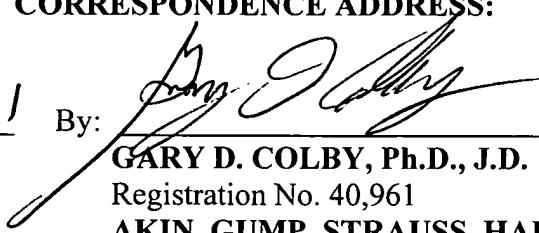
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